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Sir:

Submitted herewith on Form PTO-1449 is a listing of documents known to Applicant and/or his attorney in compliance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.56. Copies of these documents are also being submitted herewith.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached Form 1449.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists. Nor does it constitute an admission that the cited documents are material or constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies the listed documents as prior art against any claim in the application and Applicant determines that the cited documents do not constitute "prior art" under USSN 09/690,647

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Should there be any questions after reviewing this paper, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (617) 832-1000.

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